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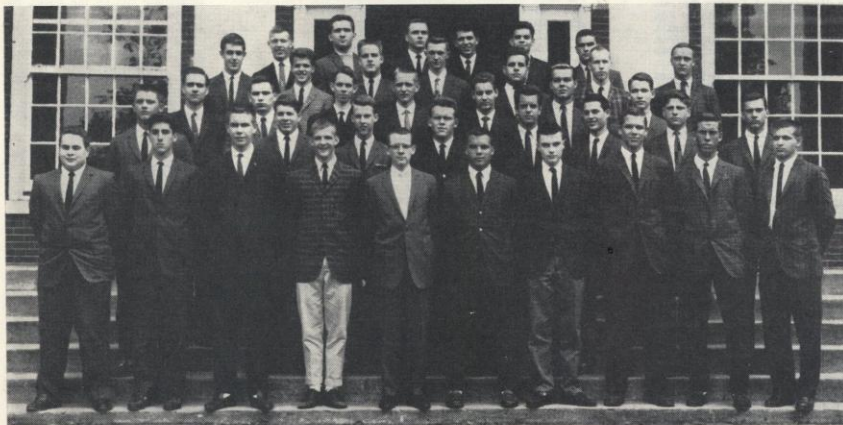
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## Forty Seniors Receive Diplomas



1st Row—Francis, R.; Ball, Campbell, Warner, Henry, Zimmerman, Smith, Evans, Finks, Fox. 2nd Row—Francis, P.; Ligon, Harwell, Metcalf, Hutchison, King, Kousser, Lackey. 3rd Row—Baum, McCoy, McDaniel, de Zevallos, Owens, Peebles, Ransom. 4th Row—Travis, Vaughn, Reynolds, Chaffin, Terry, Todd, Rau. 5th Row—Walker, Hendrickson, Rippey, Whited, Williams, Worrall.

### Annual Dedicated To Mrs. Lowry

We wish proudly to announce that this year's issue of *The Bell* is dedicated to Mrs. Rowland Lowry. Mrs. Lowry's fine direction of the English department has contributed much to making M.B.A. the outstanding school it is today. Her prodigious capacity for working herself, and for inspiring others, sometimes rather indolent, to do vast amounts of work is a quality much to be admired in a teacher. (This is not meant to overlook her certain genius, which makes the work meaningful.) Surely no one is more deserving of this dedication than Mrs. Lowry.

Morgan Kousser

### Organizations

Recent elections on our campus have supplied the various extracurricular organizations at M.B.A. with new squads of leaders. These outstanding boys, aided by the general high quality of next year's Senior class, promise a bright future for their respective clubs. The Key Club, a leadership organization in itself, is to be headed by President Mike Doyle, Vice President Ric Braden, Secretary-Treasurer Charlie Bryan, Senior Representative Joe Binkley, and Junior Representative Jim Daniel.

Gareth Aden, who is often top-eliminator at local oratorical contests, gives assurance that he will provide many fascinating assembly programs as next year's program chairman for Mrs. Campbell's Forensic Club. Leading this club with Gareth will be Bob Rea, president; Russ Dilley, vice president; and Rick Carter, secretary-treasurer. The Academy's Hi-Y Club is looking forward to a very active year in sports and service projects, under the leadership of President Bill Ozier; Vice President, Joe Binkley; Secretary-Treasurer, Ric Braden, and Chaplain, Russ Dilley. These newly-elected officers, with ample support from the student body, should advance the quality of their organizations in the best traditions of M.B.A.

Cornelius Appfel

### Juniors and Seniors Tapped For Totomoi

In Totomoi's spring tapping, two of the class of 1961's most outstanding members were presented for membership. The two boys receiving MBA's highest honor were Doug Ligon and Morgan Kousser. Doug earned membership for his achievements in organizations, student government, and athletics. In addition to these achievements, Doug has made many other contributions to MBA, especially his friendliness and example set as a Christian gentleman. Morgan Kousser gained membership in Totomoi for his accomplishments in the fields of scholarship, publications, and organizations. Morgan has made quite a record since entering MBA his sophomore year. His struggle to gain a superior education has been apparent to all at the Academy.

With the echoes of the past reminding us that this was the last tapping in the old gymnasium before remodeling, we look to the future, wishing each of these men the best fortune in college and in life.

David Walker

On May 24, four juniors were tapped for membership into the MBA leadership fraternity, Totomoi. They were: Bill Ozier, Russ Dilley, Rick Carter, and John Mazach. Bill, who will be the next year's President, was chosen for outstanding service to the school in scholarship, athletics, and publications. Russ, who will be Vice-President, was chosen for scholarship, athletics and organizations. Rick, who will act as Secretary-Treasurer, was chosen

### "Totomoi"

Totomoi was organized in 1954 by Inman Fox and Robert McNeilly, Alumni of the class of 1950, with assistance from Dr. R. L. Sager, and others. The purpose of this organization is to honor students who have made outstanding contributions in the fields of scholarship, student government, publications, athletics, and organizations. To be "tapped" for membership in Totomoi is the highest honor a boy can achieve while attending Montgomery Bell Academy.

Its membership is composed of Seniors; however, boys may be "tapped" at the end of their Junior year to serve as the following year's officers. The officers consist of a President, a Vice-President, and a Secretary-Treasurer.

The primary purpose of Totomoi are: (1) To promote new student activities and traditions; especially, to further high moral character and Christian development. (2) To encourage, support, and otherwise increase student interest and participation in all existing activities and traditions of Montgomery Bell Academy. (3) To honor by recognition of their merit outstanding students, alumni, and faculty of Montgomery Bell Academy.

Totomoi for 1960-61 consisted of: President David Walker, Vice-President Tommy Worrall, Secretary-Treasurer Allan Terry, and members Doug Ligon and Morgan Kousser.

Allan Terry

for scholarship, athletics, and organizations. John was chosen for athletics, organizations, and student government. We congratulate these boys for having attained the school's highest honor.

### Walker and Kousser Cop Valedictorian and Salutatorian

At commencement exercise today, David Walker was announced Valedictorian and Morgan Kousser was announced Salutatorian. Both of these boys have long been excellent representatives of M.B.A. David Walker has always excelled in nearly every scholastic, athletic, and extra-curricular events possible. Scholastically, David has always been tops. He has won the Math medal three times, the Latin medal twice, the English medal twice, the Spanish medal, and the General Science and Chemistry medals. Since coming to M.B.A. in the Seventh grade, David has been on the Junior and Senior Honor Societies for two years and a member of the Math Club two years. It is obvious to see his outstanding scholastics. Now let us take a look at some of his athletic deeds. He played in Freshman basketball, was on the track team, played varsity baseball, played tennis, been on the wrestling squad, and played Junior Varsity and Varsity football. While playing center on the Varsity, he was elected captain of the team. He also won a first team position on the All-City and All-AAA. David also participates in many outside activities. For example, he was class treasurer in his sophomore year and is the president of the Senior Class. He is Vice-President of the Key Club and Hi-Y Club. He is also the president of the Totomoi Honor Society. In his junior year, his fellow students voted him 'Best Citizen of the Junior Class.' Outside the school itself, David is active in such things as the Methodist Youth Fellowship at Cavalry Methodist, of which he is vice-president; and the Alpha Chi Fraternity, of which he is Sergeant-at-Arms. David is the perfect example of the well-rounded, well liked student and we of M.B.A. are proud to have him as our Valedictorian. Morgan Kousser has always been an asset to the Academy since he came here in his sopho-

This morning at ten o'clock the ninety-fourth commencement of Montgomery Bell Academy began. Commencement was begun with an organ prelude by Mrs. Louis Nicholas. The invocation was given by James Allan Terry; the salutatory address was given by Joseph Morgan Kousser; Gareth Aden gave the declamation which won first place for him in the Junior-Senior Declamation Contest.

After Medals and awards were presented to the outstanding members of each class, diplomas were presented to the following boys: Edmund R. Ball, Nicholas R. Baum, William M. Campbell, John P. Chaffin, Edward P. de Zevallos, Robert C. Evans, Jr., Robert M. Finks, Jr., Robert L. Fox, Jr., Paul R. Francis, Jr., Burt R. Francis, Jr., Coleman A. Harwell, II, Phillip H. Hendrickson, William I. Henry, Jr., Frank B. Hutchison, Richard H. King, Joseph M. Kousser, James G. Lackey, III, Douglas W. Ligon, Edward C. McCoy, Allen P. McDaniel, Dee L. Metcalf, III, Jerry M. Owens, Ross L. Peebles, Charles G. Ransom, Jr., James P. Rau, Morgan B. Reynolds, Jr., Allen R. Rippey, Jr., Harry R. Sanders, Jr., Barry A. Smith, James A. Terry, Tony C. Todd, Mack A. Travis, Orville L. Vaughn, Jr., David H. Walker, Dudley W. Warner, Arnold M. Wesner, Samuel T. Whited, Jr., Louis C. Williams, Vernon T. Worrall, III, Paul R. Zimmerman.

Following the awarding of diplomas, David H. Walker gave his valedictory address and Douglas W. Ligon gave the benediction. Immediately following Commencement, the Seniors, their family and friends were served refreshments on the lawn. To the Class of 1961, Good Luck and God be with you!

more year from West High. Morgan excels in many scholastic abilities. He has been a member of the Senior Honor Society, a Merit Scholarship Finalist, and a semi-finalist in the General Motors Merit Scholarship Plan. In winning these honors he had to excel over boys and girls across the country. He is also the recipient of the English III medal and the Public Speaking Medal. Morgan's abilities are not merely confined to scholastics, however. For example, he is Vice-President of the Forensics Club and a member of the Math Club. He was recently elected a member to the honorary fraternity of Totomoi, a high honor on the Hill. At present, he is assistant editor of the *BELL RINGER*. He is Sergeant-at-Arms of the Sigma Phi Omega Fraternity and a member of the Belmont Methodist Church. But Morgan's perhaps best achievements are done in the field of debating, where he excels. For example: at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia, Morgan was one of the eight best negative debaters out of more than one-hundred and fifty or more participants. Also, at Vanderbilt University in the Mid-South Debate Tournament, the negative team was first, of which Morgan was 50%. Morgan's interests lie in the fields of politics and law; and he hopes to further his ambitions by attending either Princeton, Harvard, or Connecticut Wesleyan. We know that if Morgan's record here is any evidence toward his future life, Morgan will turn out to be real success.

Both David and Morgan have been excellent representatives of M.B.A., and we can only say to them now, "Congratulations on a job well done."

### BULLETIN

Next year's *BELL RINGER* editors will be: Bill Ozier, editor in chief—Mike Doyle, News-Features editor—Russ Dilley, sports editor—Charles Wray, Business Manager.

Congratulations to Coleman Harwell who won the Mid-South Declamation Contest at Vanderbilt.



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### Thank You

I wish to thank all people connected with the BELL RINGER for their hard work and devotion during the past year. We of the BELL RINGER were inexperienced at the beginning of the year. As the year progressed, we progressed. I hope that we have been successful in our attempts to publish the BELL RINGER.

First, I would like to thank the members of the staff for their work and devotion. They spent many hours of their valuable time working to make the paper a success. These boys are the backbone of the newspaper. Second, I would like to thank Mr. James Poston, the faculty advisor, and Mrs. Rowland Lowry for their devotion to the newspaper. They also spent many hours of their valuable time helping organize the paper. Third, I would like to thank the typists, theirs is probably the most time consuming job in the publication of a newspaper. Furthermore I wish to thank the student-body for their support of this paper. Without the support of the student body the newspaper would cease to exist. I would also like to recognize McQuiddy Printing Company and Mr. H. W. Griffin for rendering an unearthy amount of assistance to the newspaper. I urge the student body to continue and increase their support of the BELL RINGER. The newspaper is a reflection of the student body and the school; it can be only as successful as the student body wants it to be.

In closing, I am grateful to Montgomery Bell Academy for guidance and education. May the light of good fortune shine on this institution forever.

THE EDITOR

### Publication of THE BELL

As editor of the 1961 yearbook, I would like to thank the annual staff; its sponsor, Mr. Bachleda; McQuiddy Printing Company; and especially the students of MBA, who lived its story.

Although, as seniors, we are glad to have completed our task of secondary schooling, we leave with a nostalgic regret the way of life which we have experienced for as many as four and six years. Now we move on to new opportunities, to new phases of learning, but our years at MBA will continue to exist in us.

I hope that this year's annual gives a satisfactory account of life on the hill. Our photographers have tried to candidly capture teacher and student action, and our editors and writers have tried to sincerely express their feelings about school life. Thus we hope that the annual will find appreciation in the hand of everyone who reads it, and that it will offer a real contribution to the memory of the great tradition of MBA.

Coleman Harwell II

### A Note of Appreciation

We, the members of the Senior Class, would like to thank the faculty for all they have given to us. We realize, in spite of the headaches that we have given them and that they have given us, that our relationship with them has been the most important part of our education in preparatory school. We would like to make this formal salutation before leaving and wish them good fortune as they have done to us so many times. We know that we will undoubtedly return to MBA to renew old acquaintances, so we might as well start now. The seniors hope that in life, they will find success and live up the fine preparation which they have been offered by their friends of the MBA administration.

### The Midnight Havoc

The yellow tongues licked fiercely skyward,  
As they played havoc at midnight  
With the 60,000-dollar frame.  
Helpless, we stared, made small-talk,  
Raptured by the hissing, popping, crackling.  
Boundless energy!  
Horrible heat on our faces  
Drove us backward, backward.  
Sweating, rubber men with hoses  
Sprayed streams—

Like teardrops in Hell!  
—Vainful.  
The blood-red sky, illuminated!  
Soul of Satan!  
Can we say why? —Allen Kennedy

### My Desk

What I most enjoy  
about my desk  
are the names  
recorded there.

And if I sit  
and dream awhile  
on this worn scratch  
or that crude score,  
I soon reflect  
on my short years,  
and their small scratch  
on time's smooth face. Gareth S. Aden

## The Age of Writing

These poems are not the best poetry ever written, but they are honest attempts by the students to express their feelings in poetic form.

### The Wind

The wind is like a strong and mighty god  
Whose rages are beyond our power to tame,  
Whose random path goes where great men have trod  
As if they and the small men were the same.  
He cares not who has pride or who has shame;  
Nor cares he who has virtue, who has sin:  
For he knows that all men must face his fame.  
Thus comes he and goes without regard to men.  
Can anyone escape the sureness of the wind?

For some he takes the chaff and leaves the grain  
And drives their windmills, helps them work their share.  
But meanwhile he may cause a hurricane  
To drive the grandest galleon to despair,  
May billow down to leave a forest bare  
Or gale a pond and leave it but a fen.  
In good and evil, he will have no care;  
He brings and takes without regard to men.  
For no one can escape the sureness of the wind.  
—Coleman Harwell, II

### King of the Highway

The semi, King of the highway,  
Coronated by virtue of its mass,  
Seventy feet of rolling steel.  
Lone driver at the wheel,  
Guiding with deft hands,  
Across the concrete bands,  
That make this nation one.  
Always on the run,  
Toward countless cities.  
Faster than train,  
Cheaper than plane,  
Man's world is its cargo.  
Overburdened, overtaxed, overloaded,  
America's beast of burden  
Is a eighteen-wheeled coffin.  
Piloted by bennie pills,  
Built by engineers who fear it,  
Passed by drivers who curse it,  
Driven by Hoffa's men,  
Who sometimes never drive again.  
The semi, Scourge of the highway.  
—Dick King

### Way of Life

Cars, zipping along super-highways, ninety-five feet a second,  
A television, flickering its spell of violence over the faces of restless people;  
Man-made monsters of brick and steel, towering half a mile above us,  
Rockets, pulsing, floating toward space and beyond with the power of ten-thousand horses;  
Nine-million men slaughtered while one man grasps for power;  
The splitting of the atom devouring six-hundred miles of green earth—  
Is this what Christ died for?  
Carson Carlisle

### Eye for . . . ?

Thap! Thap! A teen-ager shoots songbirds—  
Robins, wrens—with his pellet gun.  
Satisfied, he lets his tiny victims  
Lie where they drop.

Driving home, he mashes the gas.  
(Soft gravel . . . Over and over . . . Futilely  
grasping wheels . . .)  
Twisted bits of his gun lie in the crimson-soaked  
gravel  
Is the gravel satisfied? —Mike Doyle

### Poem to Spring and to Me

The sky stretches azure-grey above;  
To the ends of the universe  
Stars seem to glint more tenderly;  
Wind, warm and cool, stirs  
Arboreal buds, only last week inchoate,  
Burst now into quiet verdant splendor.  
For the Great Parent has changed positions  
And the mother of life, Spring, reappears.

End of winter's long conformity and nothingness,  
Its cave of study, boredom, and unending searchings,  
Come, O animated season, to arouse  
The hibernated world.  
Bring laziness, variety, freedom from  
Cloaks which hide our souls;  
Bring love, passion, a joy for living,  
An escape to life.

Fool, that lives ever in winter,  
"Getting and spending," worrying and waiting,  
For What?  
Breathe the airs of rebirth,  
Forego bookishness and  
Perusal of superficialities;  
The secret of life is to live.

—Morgan Kousser

### The Wind

Infinite cache of forgotten history,  
Indiscriminate storehouse for each spoken word,  
Thy gentle zephyrs fan a heated Summer;  
Thy gales harbinger an oncoming storm.  
But these are not your reasons for being,  
Nature's transplanter

Carrier of the seed—of life.  
—Vernon Thomas Worrall, III  
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## The Razor's Edge

(Senior News)

As the time grows near for the graduation of the infamous, persecuted Know-nothing of the class of 1961, scourage of the community and molefactors of evil, we who have remained untainted by acrimonious inyendo and constant denunciation have noticed a singularly odd turn in the state of affairs and the affairs of state, the dilemma being this: as word leaked out of the Central Intelligence Agency of our graduation the upturn of business experienced a complete reversal, the stock market crashed, there ensued an immediate run on the books, the passport office was swamped, and in Cullman, Alabama, the price of razor back hogs dropped to 25 cents a pound. Until the Supreme Court renders its decision, however, we shall continue blissfully unaware of our paradoxical status and attempt to give you a rundown on the summer activities of our illustrious inmates.

Chris Williams will head for Tornado Junction where he will train counter-revolutionary forces for the invasion of his homeland. Tony Todd will open a dude ranch in Arizona.

Buddy Vaughn, who is tired of Diane kicking sand in his face, has joined the health club.

Spook McDaniel run, puff, puff, run, puff, puff, run, puff.

Dee Metcalf will caddy for Arnold Palmer.

Rhoads Zimmerman will caddy for Dee Metcalf.

Dudley Warner will manage a pineapple plantation in Southern Rhodesia and show Pancho Gonzalez "how to play tennis." He will probably be heard saying "you cannot jump off the court!" Morgan Reynolds will do whatever Janie says.

Rhea Rippy will install an F.M. radio in his V.W.

Ray Francis, (no relation to Paul), will try to get members of the paper staff to turn in articles. Sam Whited will spend the summer basking in the "moon" shine.

Phil Hendrickson (Capt. Hook) will continue work on his B-gas motocroter.

Paul Francis will teach math at M.I.T. night school.

Bill Campbell will be official starter at Cumberland Drag Strip.

Jerry Owens will be working on a secret project back in a hollow at White Bluff.

Billy Henry, and Barry Smith will instruct karate at Fort Campbell.

Bob Evans will open a spirits store in Knoxville.

Charles Ransom will join the insurrectionist forces in Lava.

Frank Hutchison will continue his Fran-tie life.

Tom Worrall will still be looking for the W.K.D.A. diamond mines.

David Walker will drive his Renault at Nas Car races.

Mack Travis will continue his revivals advocating rhetorical questions and prohibition.

Bobby Fox will remain fast asleep in Dr. Sager's room.

Morgan Kousser will yawn casually as he receives W.V.O.L.'s most coveted award "BOY WONDER OF THE YEAR."

Ross Peebles will study at the University of Moscow where he has been granted a John Birch fellowship.

EXTRA! The Crude la Rude faculty superlatives have just arrived over the ticker tape. The results are as follows:

Most Typical Vandy co-ed—Miss Morris

Longest duck-tails—Mr. Pafford

Receiver of most sadistic pleasure from reading demerit list—Mr. Meriwether

Most likely to buy a "Borg-Word"—Mr. Harwell

Giver of most crisp tests—Mrs. Lowry

Driver of most lowly automobiles—Mrs. Sims

Biggest speed merchant—Mr. Novak

Most likely to get in trouble with the Fire Marshall—Coach Matlock

Congratulations group and congratulations also to Spook McDaniel (Cont'd. to page 4, col. 1)



# Spring Sports Very Successful on Hill

## Baseball News

M.B.A. enjoyed one of its finest seasons in baseball history at the school. Although the Big Red ended up in third place, she was in the running all season.

The season was filled with many highlights which delighted Coach Matlock and the players. After getting off to a poor start with a no-hitter pitched against them, the Big Red went on to win five straight games with a big victory over always tough West. Another thrilling event was a win over the freshmen at Vanderbilt. After losing to North and Hillsboro, the Reds beat Franklin to wind up the season on a 9-3 record. B.G.A. was a victim after the Franklin game in a non-league game.

A three-way tie necessitated a playoff for second place. The Big Red came out on the short end of the stick in their game with a much improved Ryan team which they had beaten during the season.

Individually, there were many who starred for the team. Our one senior, Paul Francis, was invaluable with his hitting and play in center field. Our entire infield was flawless and, for the most part, did a beautiful job. Our pitching was good also with Dave Startup doing some fine hurling and John Mazach collecting the school's first no-hit game since 1948, among some other wins. All we can say now is, "Wait 'til next year."

## Microbe Sports; Junior School Spring Sports

### Softball

The softball team is composed of many seventh graders and several eighth graders. The coaches of the softball team are Mr. Pafford, Mr. Backleda, and Kirk Todd. Kirk Todd serves as umpire and assistant coach. The managers are Pug Scoville and Neil Buist. The first string for this year is as follows: Nat Carswell, catcher, Glenn Eason, pitcher, Doug Martin, first base, Buck Jones, second base, Warren Taylor, third base, Bill Wilson, short stop, and Sam Cowan, Overton Smith and Larry Mathes in the outfield. The softball team gained valuable experience in games with Farmer and Burton.

### Track

The seventh and eighth grade track team is doing very well this year under Mr. McVeeher. They have been in track meets with Clarksville and B.G.A. and with East, Lipscomb, Rosebank, and several other city schools. Running in the 220 are Ed. Anderson and Mike Haynes, in the 440 Nick Evans in the 100 yard dash, Hunter Husband and Dave Eyler in the 880. David Dilley, Dent Skillinglaw is doing the high jumping and broad jumping. The relay teams are composed of Jim

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—Russ Dilley won the State discus title.

—The Tennis Team won the TSSAA Regional Tournament.

—The Golf Team won the City title. Frank was the Medalist for 1961.

Webb, Dave Eyler, Ronnie Cate, and Windy Dixon in the 360 and Ed. Anderson, Greer Carlisle, Hunter Husband, Butch Hoover in the 440. Hoover is also throwing the shot put.

### Tennis

Thus far the tennis team has not played any matches. It is expected to gain valuable experience and will definitely furnish some players for next year's varsity. The team is composed of Rhea Sumpter, Trevor Evans, Greer Cummings, Al Johnson and Bill Tyne. Mr. Rule is the coach.

### Baseball

The Microbes have played two games with the J.V. team, but they lost both of them 8-4, 9-4. Norman Carl, the pitcher, has been showing great improvement. The regular line up is as follows: Scott Birmingham, catcher, Norman Carl, pitcher, Gene Shanks, first base, Mite Dyer, second base, Jay Branum, third base, Andy Harris, short stop and George Hastings, Lee Noel and Richard Cooper in the outfield. There are no first-string seventh graders on the team but they are definitely improving and will look forward to playing regularly on next year's Microbe Baseball team. Greer Cummings

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## Track

The M.B.A. thinclads have done a great job this spring in both individual events and team competition. Along with fine tennis, baseball, and golf teams, this track squad has brought the school year to a grand finish.

The second track season started the season by trouncing arch-rivals Hillsboro and Ryan by a score of 75-53-32, respectively. Winners for the Big Red in that meet were Ric Mellon in the 880 run, Allen McDaniel in the mile run, John Stephens in the high hurdles, Russ Dilley in the discus and shot put, and the 440 and 880 relay teams.

In the second triangular meet of the year, the Maroons finished a close second behind the strongest T.P.S. track team in years. The final score was: T.P.S.-73½ M.B.A.-45, Dupont-25. Again in the winning column were McDaniel in the mile, Stephens in the high's, Dilley in the discus, and the 440 and 880 relays. Also crossing the finish line in first place were Mike Doyle in the 440 yard dash and the mile relay team.

In the NIL Banner Relays M.B.A. finished a creditable third behind strong TPS and East teams. The only Big Red first place was Russ Dilley's throw of 142' 6" in the discus, but "Spook" McDaniel finished second in the mile run and tied the previous NIL record in doing so. Also copying seconds in the stiff competition were Ric Mellon in the 880 and John Stephens in the high hurdles.

For a final tune-up in preparation for the District 2 track meet, the Maroons completely swamped Litton and Cumberland by the score of 81-44-40, respectively. M.B.A. won ten out of the sixteen events as Tommy Worrall took the 100 yard dash, Robert Orr the 220, McDaniel the mile, Stephens both the low and high hurdles, Russ Dilley the discus and with all four relay teams winning.

The District 2 meet out at T.P.S. May 6 was somewhat disappointing in spots and very encouraging others. The 440 relay team (Orr, Tom Weaver, Bobby Fox, Worrall), the 880 relay team (Orr, Rick Carter, Fox, Worrall), and the mile relay team (McDaniel, Orr, Carter, Doyle) all won first place trophies and berths in the Regional meet May 13. Also qualifying for the Region were Doyle, with a second in the 440; McDaniel, with a win in the mile run; Stephens, with a second in the high hurdles; the two-mile relay team (Adams, Billings, Thompson, Lackey), with a second place; Russ Dilley, with a second in the discus.

With all these people in the Region 5 meet, the Big Red has a good chance to win the meet and send several boys to the State meet in Knoxville, May 20. Whatever happens though, this has been a great track season and the Bell. Ringer salutes all the boys who have made it possible.

Russ Dilley

## Seventeen! So What?

Coach Jim Rule's Tennis Troupe came through in fine style on May 3 defeating Donelson High School 5-0 on the victor's courts. This accomplishment enabled the team to capture its seventeenth consecutive N.I.L. title. Not since 1944 has the Big Red lost an N.I.L. match.

In the recent N.I.L. Tournament, Steve Ward defeated Dick Stroupe 6-0, 6-1. Dud Warner beat teammate Johnny Glover 6-2, 8-6 in the B division singles, and later the two teamed to win the A division doubles. M.B.A. dominated Regional play, also.

This year's edition is made up of Stevie Ward, Arab Louis Williams, Pineapple Dud Warner, Goody Johnny Glover, Philippe deZevall-Il-lous, & "Crushy" Don Crichton. Two young men encountered difficulties this year: Bobo Buntin, scholastic troubles, & Frank Bass, broken leg.

This fabulous crew of strokers started off the season by smearing arch-rival Battle Ground Academy 8-1 (Ward lost #1 singles to Bobby Foote) and then trouncing Columbia Military Academy 9-0. McCallie came to town and dropped the Maroons 8-1 (Ward-Warner, #1 doubles, only ones victorious). However, M.B.A. had 3 quick wins over Hillsboro, 5-0, Memphis University School, 8-1, (Williams lost) & Chattanooga City 8-1.

Mr. Rule then grabbed his pipe and took the team to the Southern Interscholastic Tennis Championships in Chattanooga. The first match saw an upset as Dudley Warner knocked off top-seeded Frank Coyle of Belton, North Carolina in the #3 singles. Ward and Glover also won first round matches. Ward, lost his quarter-final match, but Warner and Glover advanced into the semi-finals, getting beat, however, 7-5, 6-4, and 6-0, 6-1, respectively.

The team then resumed its march toward the coveted title by whipping Lipscomb, 4-1, Peabody, 5-0, Castle Heights Military Academy, 7-2, B.G.A., 9-0, Dupont, 5-0, and C.M.A. 7-2.

The annual trip South was not so successful this year, as the team lost both matches. Darling of Rome, Ga. won 8-1 in a long and hard fought match. Then McCallie added misery to defeat by winning 8-1 also.

On returning to Nashville the team beat Ryan, 5-0, before encountering Donelson for the championship.

Dudley Warner

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## Golf Team on Way To City Title

The years M.B.A. golf is striving from unprecedented heights. Thus far through 5 matches the team has won 4 and tied 1. The team commenced its season with a string 3½ to 2½ victory over an East squad that was picked to cop the title. In their second match, they turned a weak West team 6-0. Donelson was then victim by a 4½ to 1½ score, followed by a 3-3 tie with Hillsboro. In their 5th match they knocked off the Litton team 4 to 2.

On April the 19th the golf team departed for Chattanooga and the Mid-South Interscholastic Golf Tournament which lasted for 3 days. The golf team furnished 8th out of a field of 25 and gained much valuable experience.

This year's golf team is composed of Frank Hutchison who holds the number 1 position. Rhoads Zimmerman and Dee Metcalf who are returning letterings and who alternate the 2nd and 3rd position; Mac Clayton and Buddy Vaughn who are in a hot for the 4th position and Jim McCabe who is battling for the 5th position.

This year's team is one of M.B.A.'s best.

Rhoads Zimmerman  
Frank "Sleepy" Hutchison

## Father and Son Banquet

On Wednesday, May 3, the M.B.A. Father and Son Banquet was held with great success in the new gymnasium. The fried chicken dinner was served especially rapidly this year due to the individual boxes, containing the whole meal. After dinner, entertainment was furnished by the Glee Club and French singers. Bill Ozier made a report on the financial standings of each grade in the pledges for the new Wallace Hall.

The speaker for the evening was Bill Wade, noted professional football player for the Chicago Bears and a alumnus of M.B.A. He seemed very happy to be back at M.B.A. and he reminisced some of the humorous events in which he was involved while he was a student here. Most of them concerned athletics.

The main part of Mr. Wade's talk was more serious. He mentioned that there would be problems for us, as students and young men to face. "We must make our best effort in all we do," he said. "Never give up. We must never get so smart that we think that we know everything," Bill stated. "The smarter we get, the more we know we don't know."

Mr. Wade mentioned the fact that some people have said that less emphasis should be placed on school athletics. He said emphatically that men are built in athletics. They gain stamina, a sense of teamwork, a desire to win, and the ability to work for a goal. Mr. Wade feels that the time spent in athletics is well spent time. A boy has a chance to "let off steam" on the athletic field that may build up and cause him to do something regrettable that could have been avoided by his participation in athletics.

Bill mentioned the three areas of living. The first is the physical part of life. This contains football, track and all forms of physical labor. The mental part of life was mentioned second by Mr. Wade. When a person has reached his goal physically he turns to his mind. This keeps him humble. The third and most important part of life is the spiritual part. Mr. Wade said, "Seek ye the Kingdom of God." This means very much and should be a goal of life. Do not be dedicated to yourself in life. "Accept a higher purpose in life," Bill said. We at M.B.A. are indebted to Mr. Wade for taking time to speak at Father and Son Banquet.

Robert Orr



## THE RAZOR'S EDGE

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Daniel who stepped off a fast 7:03:56 mile run to walk away with the laurels at the Davidson County Elementary Athletic Association sanctioned field day evening at the Burton school oval.

From Radio Havana we hear that in lieu of his excellent work with the demerit system this year, Mr. Meriwether has been chosen by Fidel Castro to head a prosecution council on subversive activities in Cuba. A replacement for Mr. Meriwether is now undergoing specialized training at Paris-Island.

Congratulations to General Boaz Reynolds, Sir Joshua's nephew, who has been voted the Best Driver of the year by the inebriated Memphis Police Dept. If you will look closely, I believe you will find the remains of a W.K.D.A. safe driving award on his badly battered bumper (check the alliteration, Mrs. Lowry).

From Cape Canaveral comes fantastic news. I'm sure that everyone remembers White Lightning, Miss Morris' trusty steed of the first semester. Well, it seems that this self-same horse was slightly modified with seven miles of wiring and was the conveyance of Cmdr. Alan B. Shepherd during his recent flight. Although the shape has been somewhat altered, the same aerodynamic lines are recognizable.

And now, to my friends and enemies, both on the faculty, in the student body, and on the paper staff for getting this column in late, I bid you a fond farewell.

The Ripper  
Count Von Riploff

The Tower of Babbie  
Junior Class News

Due to the coercion of our jolly editor Ray Francis, I, your writer of the Junior Class News will make extreme sacrifices and attempt to give you a few choice tid bits of information concerning the outstanding class of '62.

Congratulations to all those juniors who have become officeholders in various clubs and organizations. Our class is really beginning to exhibit its vast qualities of leadership.

Participating juniors: Dilley, Carter, Doyle, Mellon, Orr, Adams, Mazach, Startup, Aden, Hupka, and Finch lead the baseball team to victory.

Wray and Rea carry M.B.A. team in Classroom Olympics.

Wentworth, Kennedy, Ozier participate in Florida riots (not rally).

Today we wish to honor some of the Senior Class—The Senior Class who terminate their notorious reign on this momentous day in the tradition steeped history of "Montgomery Bell Academy." In all sincerity we the members of the new Senior Class of 1962, wish greatest success and happiness to the class of '61.

In view of the outstanding potential which our class does possess it is our duty as the new Senior Class to try to live up to this great potential to the best of our ability. Let us become unified into one group striving to do the best we know for ourselves and M.B.A. Remember the future of our school has now been placed in our hands. How will you accept the responsibility? The school is as good (or bad) as we make it. Let's all cooperate in the coming year to make the class of '62 one to remember!

Congratulations to Mike Doyle, who was elected President of the '61-'62 Key Club. Russ Dilley, Joe Binkley, Ric Braden and Bill Ozier are the officers for next years Hi-Y Club.

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Wray and Doyle inform T.P.S. cohort on the latest methods of draining ears.

Several juniors deserve to be commended for their fine athletic performances this spring: John Mazach, David Startup, Spike Hupka, and Gareth Aden (baseball) Robert Orr, Rick Carter, Mike Doyle and Jeff Adams (Track) and Steve Ward (Tennis).

Bob Rea was elected president of the Forensic Club for next year. Bob also had the highest selective score in the entire class on the Merit Scholarship Qualifying Tests.

M.B.A. should be indebted to all the Juniors who have participated in varsity athletics during the 1960-61 campaign. The success of spring sports has made up for not too successful fall and winter season. Greater things will be expected from these Juniors in 1961-62. Congratulations should be given to these boys.

FOOTBALL—Adams, Atkins, Binkley, Braden, Bryan, Dilley, Hupka, Husband, Mazach, Ozier, Purdy, Startup.

BASKETBALL—Dilley, Doyle, Jordan, Mazach, Startup, Ward, Wentworth, Wray.

WRESTLING—Braden, Carlisle, Carter, Husband, Mellon, Orr, Risen.

TRACK—Adams, Bryan, Carter, Dilley, Doyle, Husband, Mellon, Orr.

BASEBALL—Adams, Atkins, Finch, Hupka, Mazach, Startup, Wentworth.

TENNIS—Ward.

RIFLE—Kennedy.

MANAGERS—Cowan, Niles, Orman, Risen, Wray.

TRAINER—Doyle.

Capt. Bob Rea and Charlie Wray brought honor to the Junior Class for their outstanding performance on Classroom Olympics.

Congratulations to Gareth Aden for joining the Junior-Senior Declaration Contest and for placing second at Vanderbilt.

## Losers

## Sophomore Class News

NOTICE: Wynn Williams has lost his neck and would like very much to get it back.

John Stevens has shown a great deal of ability and great things are booked for next year.

Johnny Glover and Don Crichton did a fine job in the tennis tournaments this spring.

Some naive soul was overheard trying to borrow Smithson's Latin notebook to catch up in his back-work.

The sophomores are deeply indebted to certain teachers for their contributions to us this year.

Mr. Harwell, who led us on the search for a deeper meaning.

Mrs. Sims for her college board exams (she told us they were daily tests).

Mr. Meriwether, for conscientiously reading our names in assembly every Thursday morning.

Mr. Rule for his . . . wh . . . um . . . that is . . . ch . . . for his jokes.

We urge all sophomores to use their ability to the utmost in the next school year. With the help of God, our consciences, our parents, teachers, and friends, this goal will be possible.

Sad, Sorry, and Simple  
Freshman Class News

Alas dear friends, the fleeting school year has once again flown by and we must now impatiently wait for the next year's term. As we while away the dreary hours let us gain some momentary happiness by remembering some of the cheerful events that took place.

First, remember English class. Do you remember Bill Browder's unprintable words of wisdom?

Next, remember Latin class. Who remembers "Ubi es sububi?"

Next comes Physical Science Class. Remember Pulliam's taste for fish eye juice? Remember the serenade that Mr. Stapleton's class got from the church chimes? Remember the way we used to get off into long and involved discussions on subjects ranging from foreign aid to time travel?

There is, of course, no need to wonder if the French students remember French class.

Remember speech class? Aw, go on and force yourself. By the way, Roy Elam is.

Last, also least, remember Algebra class. Remember the little remarks Dr. Sager used to make and the jokes he used to tell? And remember the teacher's pet, "long-way Keathly"? What about Stuffer when he learned that he was the square root of minus one?

Yes, those were the good old days! Right now, let's take a look at everything we have learned in class.

English: "It ain't right to say 'Ain't'."

Latin: "Latina Romanos Cecidit, et nunc me caedit."

Physical Science: How to Win a Nobel prize.

French: "Cherchez la femme!"

Speech Class: the value of "Gerber's Golden Gliblets"

Algebra: A(295,942,403,749,001—udmao)\*% Xyrbqnxidoakeqhdkehfuvnwqmdk 023,586,984,492,654,320 .jd g745 :ufmsopwufks984

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\*to check this merely take the answer to the 439's power and take the square root.

We, the freshmen class reporters, would now like to pay a tribute to all the freshmen who have made speeches in assembly (even Steve Trautman, who got hooked after evading Mrs. Campbell three times), and we say in all sincerity that we have heard some excellent talks by various members of the speech classes. Also we would like to recognize Dee Thompson, who delivered a stupendous 90-second anti-girl speech for the benefit of his classmates.

Of all the memorable events that will go down in the history of this year's freshman class, we feel that just about everybody (at least the photographer for the annual) will remember the famous Freshman Football Picture, and the accompanying words: "The freshman football picture will be re-taken tomorrow."

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Afternoon

by Blue La Rue

Good afternoon, Alumni. Here are a few quick passes and cuts from Blue.

Spring required sports have taken over the sunny afternoons. Down on the tennis courts Ward (Irene's brother) and Gile Williams (Wynn's brother) easily won the NIL championship.

On the track, Oliver Wright McDaniels broke the school record in the mile although he was unable to break the finish tape. On the diamond Coach Matlock's Nine again setting the field ablaze. On the Course, Dr. Sager's wonder's (including the caddy) are cracking all sorts of records and jokes. Ole B. Crawford's sport has appeared.

(Later in summer school) Vaughn has already collected a thousand dollars to pay for the bunch of people who will play for the party. Another thousand dollars has been donated by the senior class for redemption.

I hope the alumni will be able to translate this great show of writing ability. I know my morning has been narrow but after six years what can one expect? I would like to leave this institution and my successor with these wicked words: "Watch your P's and Q's."

## AGE OF WRITING

(Cont'd)

## Joy

Joy is a blossom  
the fragrance of love.  
It stems from all life  
and the creations thereof.

—Dee Lamar Metcalf, III

## An Old Man's Prayer

Open doors, that I may enter,  
Seal me off from this cold winter.  
Refuse me not, for now I know:  
Spring is coming; 'tis time to go.

Youth and beauty in spring are married.  
Take me now, for too long I've tarried.  
Yes, it's now or never that I must away,  
For when spring comes, I know I'll stay.

## The Answers

Seeking to know the purpose of this life,  
I searched the earth as far as strength allowed,  
And all men knew, the mighty and the cowed,  
But found no reason for our toil and strife.  
I sought until my mind with knowledge rife  
Perceived two truths to which all others bowed,  
One answer humble and the others proud,  
One born of love, the others of the knife.  
One way the way of force, of blood, of might,  
Of claws that gouge and rend and teeth that bite;  
The other way the way of truth and love,  
The way to bliss on earth, reward above.  
To every man the choice of ways is free;  
O God, I pray, give us the eyes to see!

—Bob Rea

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## Anvil of Hate

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Chains forged to the slave's black arm  
A spirit of freedom fettered in iron

Who turned with cruel hate on his master  
When brothers' battle expired?

The master is gone.  
His son will pay the debt!

Clang                      Clang  
Chains forged to the white man's soul  
A spirit of freedom fettered by the hammer  
Of the black's ignorant mind

Who turned with cruel hate when armies left?  
The black race remained  
To repay its debt.

Clang                      Clang  
Chains forged to the black's poor soul

Chains forged to the black's  
A spirit of freedom fettered  
By klansmen of yesteryear  
By prejudice of today!

Who turns now, equal opportunity to seek?  
Shall history's cruel cycle roll relentlessly  
Over man?

Hate and retribution spring eternal.  
Man loves not his brother.  
Who says experience teaches?

Unless he stops to think—  
 "Do unto others . . ."

Clang                      Clang  
Chains are being forged  
"Love the Neighbor."

Clang                      Clang                      Clang  
—David Walker

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## PERSONALITIES OF THE MONTH



Allen McDaniel

The BELL RINGER is pleased to announce the selection of Allen "Spook" McDaniel as the Personality of the Month. Allen has made an outstanding record in all his endeavors at MBA, but he has made his greatest achievements as a member of the track team.

Spook came to the Hill in the ninth grade after attending Overbrook School. He was a member of the Freshman Basketball Team. He is presently a member of the Hi-Y Club, having played on its basketball team during the past season. He is a member of the Forensic Club of which he serves as Program Chairman. In addition, Spook has served on the staff of the BELL RINGER for three years and is now Feature Editor. He has also received an award for his performance on the Time Magazine Current Event Quiz.

Having been on the Track Team for three years, Spook is one of the outstanding milers in the state. He finished fifth in last year's state meet and third in the state meet this year. He has broken the school record in the mile and in April of this year tied the old NIL record with a time of 4:34.2.

Spook's activities outside of school include membership in St. Henry's Church, the CYO, and Alpha Chi Fraternity.

He is planning to attend Vanderbilt University next year and hopes to follow a career in either law or investment banking.

We are certainly proud to name Allen McDaniel "Personality of the Month."

## SAD, SORRY, AND (Cont'd)

Now, here is the news in brief for this year's final freshman class news:

Bass, Elam, Oliver, and Todd set off during spring vacation for the beautiful slopes of the Colorado Rocky Mountains with high hopes of becoming great skiers. Bass and Todd returned on crutches.

Bill Berry comes up with a stupendous "3-word" quote for speech class; becomes first to incorporate four words in a 3-word quote.

And now, the squelch of the year:

Dr. Sager (speaking to Todd in Algebra I class): "Now, the reason I always ask you to write down all your calculations on your quiz paper is that I need to see how you reached your conclusions. After all, I can't take your head home with me when I grade the papers and read your thoughts; and even if I could take your head with me, by the time I began grading the papers, all the thoughts would have gone out of your head, and it wouldn't be of any use to me."

Todd: "Well, you could use it for a conversation piece."

Dr. Sager: "I hate to think what a conversation that would make!"

Until next year: Aloha, adios, Au rovoir, areverderich, cheerio, good by, good luck, and good rideance.

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Dee Metcalf

Dee Lamar Metcalf III is honored to be Personality of the Month. Dee has been very active in athletics, clubs, publications, church, and numerous other fields. In athletics, Dee's achievements include: winner 1960 Hillwood Junior Golf Tournament; runner-up '58 Hillwood Tennis Tourney; winner of MBA Fresh-Soph Tennis Tourney '58; Frosh Football at Hillsboro; J.V. Football; Varsity Football; Golf; Rifle Team; All-Southern Little League All-Star; J.V. Basketball; and won a third place ribbon in Davidson County Elementary Track Meet.

He has held membership in Junior Hi-Y, Senior Hi-Y, Key Club, Math Club, and Forensic Club in which he was Secretary-Treasurer. Dee is really a leader. Otherwise, his offices include: Freshman Class Sergeant-at-Arms at Hillsboro, Honor Council, Delta Sigma Treasurer, member of Junior Board of Directors of Hillwood Country Club, member of Junior Board of Stewards at West End Methodist Church, Junior Board Representative in Senior Board of Finance and Stewardship.

In addition to these achievements, Dee found time to participate in the Frosh-Soph speech contest, to win the Ancient and Medieval History Medal, and to receive a Merit Scholarship Commendation.

Dee has assembled a stamp collection (10,000 stamps), including a recently obtained Russian collection, U.S. stamps dating from the 1870's, and a strong collection of foreign stamps, especially from Rumania, Norway, and Italy.

In the spring of 1960, Dee maintained an after-school, part-time job with Fuller Brush Company. In the summertime, Dee worked in Metcalf's, a men's and boys' clothing store in Georgia. Every week he was either first or second out of 14 salesmen in weekly sales. In 1959 Dee attended summer camp where he was lieutenant of his group. He has lived away from home two times: once during the first grade, and again while working in Georgia.

These evidences of Dee's sincere friendship and humble regard for others make him most worthy of the award of Personality of the Month.

## Debate

Although our debate team has not always been successful this year in its contests, we can point to several things with pride: First, our negative team, composed of John Chaffin and Morgan Kousser, placed third of approximately thirty teams in the Barkley Forum Tournament at Emory University. This team also won first place at the Mid-South Tournament at Vanderbilt. Second, our affirmative team is composed of two freshmen, Mike Brandon and Mooty, who have done immensely well, winning the majority of their rounds in competition with seniors and juniors. Third, in debates at M.B.A. with six well-qualified judges who were not informed which team was which, the M.B.A. teams got unanimous decisions over the district-winning teams from David Lipscomb. The Lipscomb affirmative team the next week won the Tennessee Speech and Drama League state title. If there is continued response to the speech work at M.B.A., maybe next year. . . .

David Walker



Tony Todd

With great pride, we announce Tony Todd as the Personality of the Month for this commencement issue of the BELL RINGER. During his years at MBA he has developed a praiseworthy record of accomplishments.

Tony attended Julia Green before coming to MBA in the seventh grade. He was elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Junior School, and has served as the Freshman, Junior, and Senior representative to the Honor Council. He attended Hillsboro High School the first semester of his sophomore year. Tony returned to MBA to play varsity football and run on the track team. He is also a member of the BELL RINGER staff as writer of Blue La Rue.

Tony is a very active member of St. George's Episcopal Church. He also has been given the Senior Superlative of the Wittiest. His superior accomplishments and his ardent friendships among students make him a most worthy personality in this graduating class.

Bobby Finks



Sissy Morehead

The BELL RINGER has chosen Sissy Morehead as one of its Personalities of the Month. Sissy, by her wonderful personality and devotion to MBA, has gained the respect of all MBA students.

Sissy attended Parmer grammar school where she was Treasurer of her eighth grade class and a school cheerleader. She was also a member of Parmer's Thirteen Club for two years; and Vice-President of the club in the eighth grade. Sissy entered Harpeth Hall as a freshman. The next year she was elected Sergeant-at-Arms of her Sophomore class and served as a class cheerleader. That year Sissy was also a member of the Junior Classical League. This year she is a member of the Triad Club and French Club; and serves as a class cheerleader.

In addition to her school activities, Sissy has served as a spaghetti supper waitress for the last two years and this year she was a cheerleader for the Big Red. She is also quite active in the Kappa Delta Theta sorority and attends St. George's Episcopal Church.

It is certainly our pleasure to present Sissy Morehead, a devoted MBA fan, as Girl of the Month.

Allan Terry

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Buddy Vaughn

The BELL RINGER is pleased to announce that Buddy Vaughn has been chosen "Personality of the Month."

Buddy came to MBA in the seventh grade from Julia Green School. He was president of the junior school in the eighth grade and president of the Freshman class the following year. He also was a member of the Junior Honor Society, and has served on the Student Council two years. He presently is serving as Treasurer of the Senior Class.

Buddy has not confined his activities to student government. He is also a fine athlete. He played J.V. football his sophomore year, and has played Varsity football his Junior and Senior years. Buddy is also a member of MBA's fine golf team.

In addition to his other activities, Buddy has been a member of the Hi-Y Club the past two years and serves as Sentinel in Delta Sigma Fraternity. He attends Immanuel Baptist Church where he takes an active part. Buddy plans to attend Vanderbilt University next year.

It is easy to see why the BELL RINGER has chosen Buddy Vaughn as a Personality of the Month. We wish him great success in the future.

Jim Lackey



Lisa Braden

The BELL RINGER has chosen Lisa Braden as one of its Personalities of the Month. Lisa has acquired the respect and admiration of all MBA students; and is an ardent fan of MBA activities. Lisa attended grammar school at St. Henry's where she was a cheerleader in the eighth grade. Upon entering St. Cecilia Academy, she was promptly elected to the Student Council and Vice-President of the Freshman class. Lisa was also very good in athletics for she played on the basketball and tennis teams. Besides being athletically inclined, she was a member of the Latin Club. This year Lisa again starred in basketball and tennis; and again was a member of the Latin Club. In addition to these achievements, Lisa is a member of the Science Club and the Honor Society. Lisa has been elected Treasurer of next year's Junior class at St. Cecilia.

Outside of school, Lisa is a member of the Sodality and attends St. Henry's Catholic Church. She is an active member of the SAP sorority and has served as a SAP cheerleader for the past two years. This year Lisa served at the MBA spaghetti supper.

Lisa has shown great ability for getting along with people and is very popular wherever she goes. It is indeed an honor to have Lisa Braden, a wonderful girl, as Girl of the Month.

Allan Terry



Nancy Jones

With great pride, the BELL RINGER announces Miss Nancy Jones as a Personality of the Month. Nancy, a bright-eyed girl with a bubbling laugh, is not only an outstanding personality on her own campus, but she has also shown herself a faithful supporter of Montgomery Bell Academy. These and other qualities make her a worthy recipient of the honor.

Nancy attended Palmer School where she served as cheerleader for two years. She began the ninth grade at Harpeth Hall and became a member of the Angkor Club. During her freshman year, she served as a cheerleader for the club, and next year she will hold the office of Vice-President. Nancy also joined the Kappa Delta Theta Sorority and has been a sorority cheerleader for two years. During her sophomore year, Nancy became a member of the Junior Classical League, and this year she made the club archery team. Next year Nancy will serve as Vice-President for the Spanish Club at Harpeth Hall.

Nancy is no stranger on the MBA campus. She has served as spaghetti supper waitress for two years, and this year she was elected MBA cheerleader—a position she will continue to hold next year.

The BELL RINGER is proud to honor Nancy Jones for her accomplishments, and we look forward to the continued support of this rising young lady.

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